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Dear Administrator Regan,

With deep respect, I am forwarding a letter from almost 70 US scientists working on PFAS-related research to highlight the urgency of addressing threats to health and the environment from PFAS chemicals. The letter supports granting the petition of six North Carolina groups to require health effects testing on 54 PFAS threatening communities in the Cape Fear River basin. The signatories include former director of the NIEHS Linda Birnbaum as well as many NIH-funded scientists. We look forward to supporting EPA's work to address these threats, and so please let us know if we can be helpful.

Sincerely,
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